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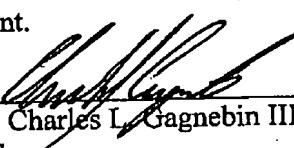
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In re application of: **Cornelis Roeland Bayense et al**Entitled: **STAR SHAPED ALUMINA EXTRUDATES AND CATALYST BASED THEREON**

Transmitted herewith is an **REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)** in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$790.00) per §1.17(e).
 Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on July 27, 2007, per §1.116.

Small Entity Status is asserted.

A Petition for Extension of Time for 3 months is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$900.00 - previously paid \$120.00) per §1.17.

In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.

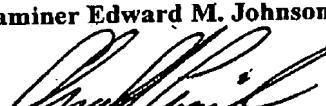
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